

## AGENDA FOR SESSION 6 Minnesota's Legislative Process

Sunday, March 5, 2017

11:00 – 11:30 AM	Registration ( <i>Calhoun Room Foyer</i> )
11:30 – 12:15 PM	Lunch
12:15 – 12:30 PM	Welcome and Introductions ( <i>Calhoun Room</i> ) <b>Brenton Rice</b> , Weekend Facilitator The Odyssey Group
12:30 – 2:05 PM	What You Need to Know about the Legislature: Process, People, and Power <b>Sheila Kiscaden</b> , Consultant
2:05 – 2:20 PM	Refreshment Break
2:20 – 3:50 PM	Your Toolbox of Strategies, Skills and Resources <b>Sheila Kiscaden</b> , Consultant
3:50 – 4:30 PM	Announcement, Mock Room Assignment & Hotel Check-in <b>Brenton Rice</b>
4:30 – 6:40 PM	Mock Hearing Preparation (Oxford/Bristol and London/Edinburgh Rooms) NOTE: Dinner buffet will be served at 5:30 p.m. in the foyer & then taken to the breakout rooms for consumption! <b>Coaches: Katie Engler, Becky Lourey, Peg Larsen, Lynne Osterman</b>
6:40 – 7:00 PM	Mock Hearing Instructions for Legislators (Cambridge)
7:00 – 8:25 PM	Mock Hearings (Oxford/Bristol and London/Edinburgh)
8:25 – 8:50 PM	Brief Feedback from Legislators (Oxford/Bristol and London/Edinburgh)
8:50 – 9:00 PM	Closing Remarks, Evaluation Forms, and Announcements (Oxford/Bristol and London/Edinburgh) <b>Brenton Rice</b>
9:00 PM	Day Adjourns

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**Monday, March 6, 2017**

7:30 – 8:30 AM	Overnight Guest Room Check-Out & Continental Breakfast
8:30 – 8:35 AM	Welcome & Expectations for the Day ( <i>Calhoun</i> ) <b>Brenton Rice</b>
8:35 – 9:35 AM	Legislative Update ( <i>Calhoun</i> ) <b>Anne Henry</b> , Minnesota Disability Law Center <b>Steve Larson</b> , ARC Minnesota
9:35 – 9:50 AM	Refreshment Break
9:50 – 11:00 AM	Effective Communication with Elected Officials ( <i>Calhoun</i> ) <b>Sheila Kiscaden</b>
11:00 – 11:30 AM	Governor's Appointment Process ( <i>Calhoun</i> ) <b>Madelyn Nelson</b> , Office of Governor Mark Dayton
11:30 – 12:30 PM	Lunch
12:30 – 1:30 PM	Board buses and travel to State Capitol
2:00 – 2:45 PM	State Capitol Tour (optional)
1:10 – 3:10 PM	Meet with Legislators and/or Sit-in on Committee & Subcommittee Meetings
3:10 – 3:20 PM	Class Photo (Rotunda)
3:20 – 3:30 PM	Final Weekend Announcements <b>Brenton Rice</b>
3:30 – 4:10 PM	Board buses and travel back to Marriott
4:10 PM	Weekend Adjourns

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